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In the Title of the Invention:

Change the title of the invention to read:

--VULCANIZABLE SHOE SOLE RUBBER--

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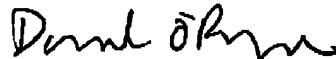
Remarks

Claims 11-17 are pending, claims 1-10 having been cancelled. Claim 11 is the only independent claim. Reconsideration and reexamination of the application is respectfully requested.

Applicant herewith elects the invention defined by the Examiner as Group II drawn to a composition. Pending claims 11-17 are readable on the elected invention.

Claims 11 and 16 have been amended for overcoming the clarity objection raised by the Examiner at point 3 of the Detailed Action of the Office letter dated September 12, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,



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